



Friends of the
Christchurch Botanic Gardens

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Sunday 15th February in the Kiosk

Foraging and Urban Ecology

Peter Langlands

Please join us at the Kiosk to hear a fascinating talk about foraging and urban ecology by prominent New Zealand forager, conservation scientist and “accidental botanist” Peter Langlands, based in Ōtautahi Christchurch.

Peter is one of New Zealand's few licensed professional foragers, specialising in wild-sourced produce for top restaurants and educating the public on food resiliency.

Peter has a degree in zoology and ecology from the University of Canterbury and has worked as a consultant for the Department of Conservation and Environment Canterbury. He has compiled New Zealand's largest database of wild foraged species, and frequently leads workshops and foraging missions across Canterbury, Banks Peninsula, and the Red Zone.



Venue: The Kiosk

Date: Sunday 15th February

Time: 4.00 pm (afternoon tea available from 3.30 pm)

Cost: Members and CHS members \$5.00, non members \$10.00